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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT TORRINGTON REPLY SENT JULY 21 TO ITALIAN EMBASSY IN RESPONSE TO INITIATIVE ON BEHALF OF MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY DONAT CATTIN FOR A MEETING TO REVIEW GENOA SITUATION:

QUOTE: WE ARE IN RECEIPT OF YOUR CABLE OF JULY 16, 1976, WHICH STATED THE REQUEST OF THE ITALIAN MINISTER OF INDUSTRY, MR. DONAT CATTIN, TO URGENTLY AND PERSONALLY DISCUSS IN ROME WITH SENIOR OFFICIALS FROM HEADQUARTERS OF THE TORRINGTON COMPANY FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS RELATED TO OUR GENOA PLANT WITH A VIEW OF FINDING A SATISFACTORY AND POSITIVE SOLUTION TO CURRENT PROBLEMS.

OUR INTENTION CONSISTENTLY HAS BEEN TO SELL THE LAND AND
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NEEDLE PLANTS WHENEVER IT WILL BE POSSIBLE. WHILE
CONDITIONS AT OUR GENOA PLANT HAVE PREVENTED US FROM
IMPLEMENTING SUCH PLAN, THE RECENT COURT DECISION, ACCORDING
TO OUR COUNSEL, WILL ENABLE US TO RENEW OUR EFFORTS.

WE ARE ALWAYS WILLING TO DISCUSS THE PROBLEM. IF THE
REQUEST OF MR. DONAT CATTIN IS TO MEET WITH A VIEW TOWARD
ACCOMPLISHING OUR OBJECTIVE, WE WOULD ATTEND READILY.
SINCE OUR INTENTIONS HAVE NOT CHANGED, WE WOULD SEE VALUE
IN MEETING WITH MR. DONAT CATTIN IF HIS PLANS HAVE CHANGED
TO COINCIDE WITH OURS. G. B. HOWEY, THE TORRINGTON
COMPANY. END QUOTE. KISSINGER

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